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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

(1) The paragraph from page 7, line 14 to page 7, line 25 has been amended as follows:

Figure 3 shows an example of structure in the navigation system including the vehicle management function of the present invention. In the block diagram of Figure 3, the navigation system includes a map storage medium 41 such as a CD-ROM or DVD (hereafter "DVD") for storing map information, a DVD control unit 42 for controlling an operation for reading the map information from the DVD, a ~~point~~ position measuring device 43 for measuring the present vehicle position which has a vehicle speed sensor for detecting a moving distance, a ~~gyro~~ gyroscope for detecting a moving direction, a microprocessor for calculating a position, a GPS receiver, and etc.

(2) The paragraph from page 9, line 23 to page 9, line 29 has been amended as follows:

With the vehicle driven to the check-out gate 68, a check-out personnel activates wireless transfer of information between the vehicle 22 and rental facility computer 72 via the Bluetooth transceivers. RF communication between the rental facility computer 72 and the vehicle 22 exchanges, ~~but is not limited to~~ among others, the following types of information:

(3) The paragraph from page 11, line 20 to page 11, line 25 has been amended as follows:

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If, during the rental period, the driver ~~acquires~~ is caught because of a parking and/or traffic violation, a menu option in the navigation system can be selected to store information about the parking and/or traffic violation so that it can be automatically reported via the Bluetooth transceiver once the vehicle is returned to the rental car facility.

(4) The paragraph from page 13, line 21 to page 13, line 32 has been amended as follows:

Once the rental facility reclaims the vehicle from the renter, the rental facility maintenance personnel may prepare the vehicle for the next renting driver (wash vehicle, re-fill with gasoline, clear navigation system memory, etc.). In order to expedite delivery of the vehicle to the next driver, the location (location coordinates as determined by the navigation system GPS receiver are cross-referenced with the facility's parking location coordinates) of the parked vehicle is delivered to the facility. This is done by the rental facility vehicle maintenance personnel or automatically through the Bluetooth transceivers to the rental ~~facilitate~~ facility computer for easy location of the vehicle.